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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ILLUSTRATING U.S.-STYLE FOOTBALL

DECLARATION CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (INDEPENDENT INVENTOR)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ILLUSTRATING U.S.-STYLE FOOTBALL described in

- ☐ the specification filed herewith
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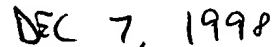
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